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## DAILY TIMES FISH BUREAU.

### To-day's Arrivals and Receipts.

Steamer Water Witch, Ipswich Bay, 100 bbls fresh shad.  
Launch Bessie A., Ipswich Bay, 60 bbls. fresh shad.  
Gasoline launches, Ipswich Bay, 60 bbls. fresh shad.  
Sch. Aetor, netting, 500 fresh mackerel.  
Sch. Senator, Burgeo Bank, 9000 lbs. cod, 35,000 lbs. halibut, 5000 lbs. flitch halibut.  
Sch. Carrie C., Georges, 23,000 lbs. cod, 1500 lbs. halibut.  
Sch. Nelson Y. McFarland, Georges, 12,000 lbs. cod, 2000 lbs. halibut.  
Sch. Sheffeyld, Rips, 30,000 lbs. cod.  
Sch. Mary E. Harty, Boston Bay, seining, 40 bbls. fresh mackerel.  
Sch. Arcadia, Boston Bay, seining, 90 bbls. fresh mackerel, 25 bbls. salt mackerel.  
Sch. Dauntless, Boston Bay, seining, 75 bbls. fresh mackerel.  
Launch Herbert and Emma, Ipswich Bay, 75 bbls. porgies.  
Sch. Samuel R. Crane, Bay of Fundy, 120,000 lbs. fresh fish.  
Sch. Hattie F. Knowlton, shore, 35,000 lbs. fresh fish.  
Traps, Back of the Cape, 100 bbls. shad.  
Sch. Queen of the Sea, netting.  
Sch. Marguerite, netting.  
Sch. Cherokee, netting.

### Today's Fish Market.

Board of Trade prices for salt and fresh fish:

Salt fish, handline Georges cod, \$4.00 per cwt. for large, \$3.50 for medium; trawl Georges cod, \$3.75 for large, \$3.25 for medium; trawl Bank cod, \$3.37 1-2 for large, \$3.00 for medium; hake, \$1.25; pollock, \$1.25; haddock, \$1.75; large cusk, \$2.50.

Fresh fish, large cod, \$2.00; medium cod, \$1.62 1-2; all cod caught to the eastward of La-Have bank, \$1.75, medium \$1.37 1-2; cusk, \$1.50 haddock, \$1; hake, 90 cts.; pollock, 70c  
Outside sales Georges handline cod, \$4.25 for large and \$3.50 for mediums.

Bank halibut, 9 cents per lb. for white and 6 cents for gray.

Rips cod, \$4 for large and \$3.30 for medium.

Salt mackerel, \$12.00 per barrel.

Fresh mackerel, 11 and 12 cents each.

### Boston.

Sch. Regina, 30,000 haddock, 7000 cod, 2500 hake.

Sch. Carrie F. Roberts, 2500 haddock, 15,000 cod.

Sch. Meteor, 12,000 hake, 9000 halibut.

Sch. Philomena Mante r, 11,000 haddock, 8000 cod, 1000 hake.

Sch. Glenelg, 7000 haddock.

Sch. Mary E. Cooney, 30,000 haddock, 6000 cod, 3000 hake, 5000 pollock.

Sch. Marion, 1000 haddock, 1200 cod, 8000 pollock.

Sch. Diana, 18,000 fresh mackerel.

Sch. Lucania, 20,000 fresh mackerel, 320 bbls. salt mackerel.

Sch. J. W. Bradley, 6000 fresh mackerel.

Sch. Saladin, 6000 fresh mackerel.

Sch. Richard Lester, 6000 fresh mackerel.

Sch. Samoset, 50 bbls. fresh mackerel.

Haddock, \$3.25; large cod, \$5; market, \$3.50; pollock, \$2.50; hake, \$2; mackerel, 10 cents.

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Sch. Lucania, via Boston, 320 bbls. salt mackerel.

Sch. Meteor, via Boston, 20,000 lbs. fresh fish.

Sch. J. P. Foster, Jr., Provincetown, cured fish.

Sch. Samoset, via Boston.

Sch. Agnes V. Gleason, Western Bank 30,000 lbs. cod, 45,000 lbs. fresh cod.

Sch. Norumbega, seining.

### Vesses Sailed.

Sch. Dauntless, seining.

Sch. Moween, shacking.

Sch. Georgie Willard, seining.

Sch. Arthur Binney, seining.

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Salt mackerel, \$12.00 per barrel.

Fresh mackerel, 9 1-4 cents each.

### Boston.

Sch. Fish Hawk, 3000 cod, 60,000 hake.

Sch. Rose Cabral, 10,000 cod, 13,000 haddock.

Sch. Mary Enos, 6000 cod, 2000 haddock, 500 pollock.

Sch. Olivia Sears, 400 cod, 2500 haddock, 500 pollock.

Sch. Charlie Boy, 1200 cod, 600 haddock, 1500 hake.

Sch. James A. Garfield, 7000 cod, 3000 haddock.

Sch. Boyd and Leeds, 2700 cod, 1000 haddock, 650 hake.

Sch. Hattie F. Knowlton, 1000 cod, 5000 hake, 2000 cusk.

Sch. Mary Edith, 6000 cod, 15,000 haddock, 3500 hake.

Haddock, \$2.50 to \$3.25; large cod, \$2.75 to \$3.75; market cod, \$2.50 to \$3; pollock, \$3.

### Mackerel Notes.

The following netters were at Newport yesterday with fares:

Sch. Motor, 4000 fresh mackerel.

Sch. Arrow, 800 fresh mackerel.

### Caplin at Newfoundland.

Caplin in fairly good quantity made their appearance at Topsail, N. F., and neighborhood a week ago Monday, and the fishermen were busy hauling it, expecting to do well with codfish by using it as bait as cod is plentiful on the ground. The caplin in myriads also struck into Placentia and they were being casted by fishermen and hauled by others to be used about the ground. Dories did well fishing from the shore yesterday there.

## CAUGHT THE HINES.

### The Cutter Fiona Found Her at Trinity Bay, N. F.

### Kipper Fined \$400 for Violating Customs Regulations.

A Halifax dispatch says that the Newfoundland customs department is taking active steps against American fishing vessels, several of whose captains have violated the revenue law by smuggling tobacco and stores to the local fishermen without entering or complying with customs enactments. Two vessels were captured last week and fines of \$200 imposed on each.

Another vessel, sch. Mabel Hines, was wanted but her skipper on learning of this hoisted sail and left port. The custom's officers at all the outports were notified to watch for her and the cruiser Fiona was sent out in search of the vessel.

The cruiser steamed north along the coast, visiting the bait centres, and Monday the M. R. Hines was captured at anchor in Trinity bay. Capt. Hines was brought before the local magistrate there, who fined him \$400 for smuggling and evading the customs by leaving the port without a clearance.

There are two vessels of somewhat similar names, the Mabel D. Hines of Beverly and the Hazel R. Hines of this port, and both are owned by the skipper of the latter craft. Capt. Lovitt E. Hines. From the above dispatch, in one part it would seem that it was the Mabel Hines which was seized and in another part that it was Capt. Hines who was before the magistrate. The dispatch does not make it clear which vessel was seized.

## THE SWORDFISH.

### Some of the Tropical Species Are of Enormous Size.

A queer fish is the swordfish. It is found in the tropical and subtropical zones of both the eastern and western hemispheres. Some of the tropical species are of enormous size and measure from twelve to fifteen feet in length, with swords at least three feet long. The sword is much the shape of a cone somewhat flattened, the end sharply pointed. It is smooth on the top and sides, but the under part is rough. It is really an elongation of the bones of the upper jaw and is possessed of very great strength, for with these weapons they have been known to pierce the copper sheathing of vessels and heavy plates and timbers; but, although they can drive the sword far into these substances, they cannot draw them out, so break them off and swim away without them.

A large fin extends nearly the length of the back of the creature, which is folded back when the fish is swimming in order that its progress may not be impeded if speed is desired, but when quietly swimming it is often erected and acts as a sail to carry it through the water. The swordfish is very aggressive in its disposition and will often assail fish much larger than itself. Even the whale is not exempt from its attacks. The food of the swordfish consists of smaller fish, which it kills by stabbing them with its sword. There is quite a large business done in swordfishing, as the flesh is used for food. The larger species are caught by harpooning, the smaller in nets.

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### Fine Stock.

Sch. Massachusetts, Capt. John J. Carroll, stood \$5457 on her recent short salt bank trip, the crew sharing \$145.87.